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## REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

The Applicant has carefully considered this application in connection with the non-final Examiner's Action electronically delivered January 7, 2010 (hereinafter "Office Action"), and respectfully requests reconsideration of this application in view of the following remarks.